

COMMITTEE ON CLAIMS AND PENDING SUITS

AGENDA

FEBRUARY 6, 2012

Committee Room "A"

5:30 o'clock P.M.

WATER SUPPLY BOARD

- 1.) AMICA INSURANCE COMPANY a/s/o ROBERT E. GRADY, 11-789. Compensation for damages sustained on October 27, 2011, whereby petitioner hit a sink hole on Douglas Avenue.

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| Claim | \$2,093.44 |
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- 2.) JUSTIN BENEVIDES, 11-748. Compensation for damages sustained on November 17, 2011, whereby petitioner hit a pothole on Pitman Street.

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| Sullivan Tire | \$198.69 |
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- 3.) FREDERICK CROSSMAN, 11-368. Compensation for damages sustained on March 23, 2011, whereby petitioner hit a pothole on Washington Avenue.

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| Tasca Automotive Group | \$1,100.00 |
| Mike's Automotive | \$474.80 |

- 4.) CONNIE M. FANN, 12-4. Compensation for damages sustained on December 25, 2011, whereby petitioner hit a lifted water access cover on Marjoram Drive in Cranston.

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| Tirewarehouse | \$125.00 |
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- 5.) ANDREAS HOSEMANN, 11-774. Compensation for damages sustained on November 19, 2011, whereby petitioner hit a pothole on Warwick Avenue.

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| A Plus Auto Service, Inc. | \$408.08 |
| Protech | \$491.82 |

- 6.) JOHN A. MARROCCO, 11-711. Compensation for damages sustained, whereby petitioner alleges once the pipes were changed on his street, it caused the water coming from his pipes to be brown.

- 8.) DONALD T. NICHOLSON, 12-13. Compensation for damages sustained on November 14, 2011, whereby petitioner alleges a clog in his water pipe due to rusty and murky water.

9.) JOHN A. REEDER, 11-656. Compensation for damages sustained on September 2, 2011, whereby petitioner struck a dip in the road at Aidan Street and Buffalo Court.

10.) TRAVELERS PROPERTY CASUALTY COMPANY a/s/o CITY of CRANSTON, 11-784. Compensation for damages sustained on September 19, 2011, whereby petitioner alleges the Water Supply Board turned on the water to a line that was abandoned, causing flooding in their building.

CITY COLLECTOR

- DEPARTMENT of PUBLIC WORKS

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| Claim | \$4,056.83 |
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- 13.) WENDY ARROYO, 11-695. Compensation for damages sustained on October 1, 2011, whereby petitioner hit a pothole on West Exchange Street.

Town Fair Tire \$148.65

- 14.) MICHAEL and BETH BELL, 11-666. Compensation for damages sustained on July 10, 2011, whereby a sink hole developed at the end of petitioner's driveway.

Armando Ricci & Sons \$4,350.00

- 15.) LAURA CHALK, 11-559. Compensation for damages sustained on June 8, 2011, whereby petitioner hit a sink hole on Burnside Street. (Continued December 12, 2012)

Scott Volkswagen \$2,034.65
Integrity Appraisal Inc. \$1,183.81

- 16.) MICHAEL CIUFO, 11-760. Compensation for damages sustained on November 27, 2011, whereby petitioner hit a pothole on Branch Avenue.

Pepboys \$484.90

- 17.) JESSICA DEJESUS, 11-715. Compensation for damages sustained on October 16, 2011, whereby petitioner hit a pothole on Cedar Street.

Mercedes Benz of Warwick \$305.82

- 18.) BRIAN FISCHER, 11-778. Compensation for damages sustained on December 6, 2011, whereby petitioner hit a pothole on Claverick Street.

- 19.) HOWARD FREEDMAN, 11-794. Compensation for damages sustained on November 13, 2011, whereby petitioner hit a pothole on Hope Street.

Henry's Tire Service \$713.71

- 20.) TODD W. JACKSON, JR., 11-737. Compensation for damages sustained on October 5, 2011, whereby petitioner hit a manhole cover, damaging his transmission.

AAMCO \$497.52

- 21.) MAUREEN K. KATTERMANN, 11-775. Compensation for damages sustained on December 12, 2011, whereby petitioner hit a pothole on Hope Street.

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| BTS Tire & Service | \$230.50 |
| Firestone Complete Auto Care | \$438.77 |

- 22.) RYAN NEIL LUND, 11-587. Compensation for damages sustained on July 10, 2011, whereby petitioner hit a pothole on Gano Street. (Continued September 26, 2011; Continued December 12, 2012)

- 23.) FELISHA MARQUES, 11-739. Compensation for damages sustained on November 11, 2011, whereby petitioner hit a pothole on North Main Street.

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| Town Fair Tire | \$133.50 |
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- 24.) ANGELA MARTINEZ, 11-660. Compensation for damages sustained on September 7, 2011, whereby petitioner hit a pothole on Broad Street.

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| Town Fair Tire | \$221.82 |
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- 25.) METLIFE AUTO & HOME a/s/o KAREN NADEAU, 11-804. Compensation for damages sustained on December 5, 2011, whereby petitioner hit a pothole on Pearl Street.

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| Claim | \$1,804.70 |
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- 26.) LINDA MOON, 12-1. Compensation for damages sustained on October 31, 2011, whereby petitioner hit a pothole on Corliss Street.

- 27.) KAREN L. NADEAU, 11-764. Compensation for damages sustained on December 5, 2011, whereby petitioner hit a pothole on Pearl Street.

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| Metro Collision Center | \$3,014.07 |
| Tasca Automotive Group | \$1,133.18 |

- 28.) NATALIE MUNOZ, 11-780. Compensation for damages sustained on December 6, 2011, whereby petitioner hit a pothole on Atwells Avenue.

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| Nick's Auto Body | \$477.05 |
| Sam's Community Service Station, Inc. | \$696.14 |

- 29.) LINDA M. PEASE, 11-802. Compensation for damages sustained on February 28, 2011, whereby petitioner hit a pothole.

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| Tasca | \$768.98 |
| BTS Tire & Service Store | \$603.97 |

- 30.) LISA PETRONE, 11-767. Compensation for damages sustained on December 3, 2011, whereby petitioner hit a pothole on Collyer Street.

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| Central Hyundai | \$481.90 |
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- 31.) JOSEPH V. PIETRANTONIO, 11-720. Compensation for damages sustained on October 31, 2011, whereby petitioner hit a pothole on Hope Street.

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| East Side Servicenters, Inc. | \$242.99 |
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- 32.) ROYAL VALET LLC, 12-17. Compensation for damages sustained on January 7, 2012, whereby petitioner hit a pothole on Chapel Street.

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| Mercedes-Benz of Warwick | \$1,178.37 |
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- 33.) SERGIO A. SPAZIANO, 11-803. Compensation for damages sustained on December 22, 2011, whereby petitioner hit a pothole on Hope Street.

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| D & M Tyre Automotive Service Center | \$223.70 |
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- 34.) MORDECAI STOLK, 11-783. Compensation for damages sustained on December 7, 2011, whereby petitioner hit a pothole on Thurbers Avenue.

- 35.) CORINNE B. TATE, 11-785. Compensation for damages sustained on December 3, 2011, whereby petitioner hit a pothole on Wayland Avenue.

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| Scott Volkswagen | \$235.17 |
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- 36.) UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE, 11-768. Compensation for damages sustained on January 21, 2011, whereby petitioner was involved in an accident with a City plow truck.

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| Claim | \$721.60 |
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- 37.) MICHAEL WATTS, 11-296. Compensation for damages sustained on February 26, 2011, whereby petitioner hit a pothole on Union Avenue.

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| L'Europa | \$332.62 |
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- 38.) EUGENE ZAYDES, 11-762. Compensation for damages sustained on November 28, 2011, whereby petitioner hit a pothole on Branch Avenue.

- 39.) DAVID P. ZINNO, 12-15. Compensation for damages sustained on January 7, 2012, whereby petitioner's tires were damaged on Allens Avenue.

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| Tasca | \$1,050.03 |
| Flood Ford East Greenwich | \$1,050.03 |

FIRE DEPARTMENT

- 40.) ESTEBAN GOMEZ, 11-732. Compensation for damages sustained on October 28, 2011, whereby petitioner was involved in an accident with a Fire Department vehicle.

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| D & H Autobody | \$2,273.67 |
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- 41.) TRAVELERS of MASSACHUSETTS a/s/o TARAYE LOPEZ, 11-793. Compensation for damages sustained on August 19, 2011, whereby petitioner's vehicle was allegedly struck by a Fire Department vehicle.

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| Claim | \$624.06 |
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PARKS DEPARTMENT

- 42.) GEMINI AUTO SALES, 11-710. Compensation for damages sustained on August 21, 2011, whereby a tree branch fell onto petitioner's vehicle. (Continued December 12, 2012)

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| Detroit Collision Center | \$7,259.71 |
| Natick Auto Body | \$7,329.79 |

- 43.) RAFAEL HERNANDEZ, 11-733. Compensation for damages sustained on August 28, 2011, whereby a tree branch fell onto petitioner's parked vehicle.

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| Precision Collision Service | \$4,534.62 |
| Superior Auto Body, Inc. | \$4,473.12 |

- 44.) ALAN SIM and BICH-THUY SIM, 11-680. Compensation for damages sustained on August 6, 2011, whereby a tree branch fell onto petitioner's home. (Continued December 12, 2012)

PARKS DEPARTMENT and DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

- 45.) MATTHEW C. DEPIERO, 11-792. Compensation for damages sustained, whereby a sewer back-up occurred at petitioner's property at 105 Butler Avenue, allegedly due to tree roots getting into the pipes.

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| Claim | \$11,625.00 |
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POLICE DEPARTMENT

- 46.) DR. ROGER CARLSTEN, 11-771. Compensation for damages sustained on October 29, 2011, whereby petitioner alleges his door was broken down by members of the Police Department.

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| John Rego Hardwood Floors | \$800.00 |
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- 47.) ALBERT C. DORBOR, 11-776. Compensation for damages sustained on November 6, 2011, whereby petitioner was involved in an accident with a Police vehicle.

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| Garcia Auto Sales & Body, Inc. | \$721.00 |
| S & K Sales and Autobody, Inc. | \$939.98 |

- 48.) SHARON LOFERSKI ENGLER, 11-779. Compensation for damages sustained on July 25, 2011, whereby petitioner's parked vehicle was allegedly struck by a Police vehicle.

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| Angel's Auto Body | \$1,755.45 |
| Fred's Auto Body | \$1,519.85 |

- 49.) PROGRESSIVE a/s/o DANIEL KING, 11-537. Compensation for damages sustained on April 8, 2011, whereby petitioner was involved in an accident with a Police Department vehicle. (Continued December 12, 2012)

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| Claim | \$7,587.62 |
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TRAFFIC ENGINEERING

- 50.) OLIVE FITZPATRICK and EMERALD FINNERAN, 11-749.
Compensation for damages sustained on November 16, 2011, whereby petitioner was involved in an accident at the intersection of Pembroke and Chad Brown Avenues, allegedly due to a missing stop sign.

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| Travelers Auto Body | \$5,567.41 |
| Coletta’s Collision Center | \$6,500.00 |

SUITS

- 51.) JONATHAN BERGOLLO (Andrew S. Caslowitz, Esquire) vs. NAPOLITANO and the CITY of PROVIDENCE, 08-409. Compensation for injuries sustained on November 11, 2008, whereby petitioner tripped and fell, allegedly over a piece of metal that was imbedded in the sidewalk.

- 52.) DOLORES IASIMONE (George L. Santopietro, Esquire) vs. the CITY of PROVIDENCE, 08-273. Compensation for injuries sustained on June 5, 2008, whereby petitioner tripped and fell, allegedly due to a raised and unlevel walkway. (Continued December 12, 2011)

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| Claim | \$100,000.00 |
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- 53.) DEBORAH ISHERWOOD (Mark B. Morse, Esquire) vs. the CITY of PROVIDENCE, 06-256. Compensation for damages sustained on October 27, 2004, whereby petitioner alleges wrongful discharge from her employment.

- 54.) TIMOTHY MCCOLLUM and SONNOH SAMPSON (Frank L. Orabona, Jr., Esquire) vs. EUGENE CRAVEN and the CITY of PROVIDENCE, 08-193. Compensation for injuries and damages sustained on March 24, 2008, whereby petitioner was involved in an accident with a Police Department vehicle.

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| Claim | \$1,000,000.00 |
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- 55.) SUZANNE MCGUY (Anthony J. Gianfrancesco, Esquire) vs. the CITY of PROVIDENCE, 07-280. Compensation for injuries sustained on November 1, 2007, whereby petitioner tripped and fell on Charles Street.

- 56.) THOM MORALES (Michael D. Pushee, Esquire) vs. the CITY OF PROVIDENCE, 10-358. Compensation for injuries and damages sustained on or about August 17, 2008, whereby petitioner alleges unnecessary and excessive force by officers of the Police Department.

Claim

\$350,000.00

- 57.) MARTHA RODAS (Rui P. Alves, Esquire) vs. NAPOLITANO and the CITY of PROVIDENCE, 06-334. Compensation for injuries sustained on October 21, 2006, whereby petitioner fell into a metal grate on Adelaide Avenue.

Claim

\$300,000.00

- 58.) SAMUEL SANCHEZ vs. MELISSA TALBOT and the CITY of PROVIDENCE, 08-385. Compensation for injuries and damages sustained on October 23, 2008, whereby petitioner was involved in an accident with a Fire Department vehicle driven by Melissa Talbot. (Continued December 12, 2011)

- 59.) VERIZON vs. NAPOLITANO and the CITY of PROVIDENCE.

- 60.) MARTA VIDAL (Howard C. Johanson, Esquire) vs. the CITY of PROVIDENCE, 04-429. Compensation for injuries and damages sustained on June 5, 2001, whereby petitioner was involved in an accident with a Police vehicle. (Continued December 12, 2011)

TAXES

Certificates from City Assessor (3S and 4S), recommending the same be severally cancelled pursuant to the provisions of Sections 14 and 15 of Title 44, Chapter 7 of the General Laws of Rhode Island, As Amended.

PER ORDER OF THE COMMITTEE ON
CLAIMS AND PENDING SUITS
Councilman Nicholas J. Narducci, Chairman